

consisting of ellagic acid, an ellagic acid salt, an ellagic acid metal complex, an ellagic acid monoether, an ellagic acid polyether, an ellagic acid monoacylated compound, and an ellagic acid polyacylated compound sufficient to increase synthesis of collagen VII by keratinocytes of the epidermis, optionally in combination with a cosmetically acceptable excipient,

whereby cohesion of the dermis and epidermis is improved.--